



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT



ATTESTATION OF

No. 2031 Name Mmanuel Gledford Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Mmanuel Gledford
2. What is your full Address? 2. Grand Falls
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your Age? 4. 27 Years 6 Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Paper Finisher
6. Are you Married? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? 11. Yes

I, Mmanuel Gledford do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Mmanuel Gledford SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

G. Dec. 10th 1915 Donald W. Cyle Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Mmanuel Gledford do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's, Nfld on this 14th day of December 191 5 Donald W. Cyle Signature of the Attesting Officer.

Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I hereby approve and appoint him to the :
If enlisted by special authority, the original attestation.

Date _____
Place _____ } Approving Officer.

* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
* Here is to be written the name of the place in which the Recruit has been enlisted.

If the Recruit has been previously enlisted in any other Regiment, he is to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge, and to have the same returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz.—
(Name) _____ (Regiment) _____ on the (Date) _____

10-12-15

10-4-17

Revere Mass.

June 2nd /31

War Dept-

S. John's Fld.

Gentlemen:-

Kindly

forward. to the undersigned
a copy of my discharge from
the army in 1917. My name
is Manuel Oldford.

Regimental No 2031

I have lost my discharge
and I need it just now
hoping you will forward
same at your earliest
convenience, and oblige

Thanking you in

anticipation I remain
truly

Manuel Oldford

22 Hyde St - Revere
Massachusetts

June 18th. 1931

Mr. Manuel Oldford,
22 Hyde Street,
Revere, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of June 2nd., I beg to advise that duplicate of your discharge certificate cannot be issued.

I enclose, however, certificate of your service, which I trust, will be sufficient for your requirements.

Yours truly,

Archivist.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld

Fold Here

OCT 11 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Manuel Oldford

in respect of his service as No. 2031 Rank Pte.

Name M. Oldford

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Nfld. ~~Infantry~~ ~~Corp.~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Victory Medal & British War Medal

Signature

Manuel Oldford

Date

October 15th /21

Address

Grand Falls

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 2031 Name *M. Oldford*

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above
named Soldier.

Date *July 15th / 20*
Place *Grand Falls*

Name *Manuel Oldford*

H.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia
insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

M

C.R. 2031

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches
of Riband of British War Medal 1914-1919.

Date.....

16/11/19

Place.....

Grand Falls

Name.....

2031 Ex. Pte. Manuel Olofson

REGIMENTAL NUMBER 2031

COMPANY H

THE
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's
Forces under the following conditions.

For the duration of the present war, or until my
discharge.

Subject to the Army Act. The King's Regulations,
and to such ordinances as may apply or may be
made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act.

§ George V.,

Chapter IV.

Signed _____

Witness _____

Dated at Racecourse Camp

*M. Oldford - sent to the front to finish his 12 mos
engagement (for 12 mos) but refuses to engage for
renewal of his term of service as
Renewal Major*

REGIMENTAL NUMBER 2031

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For the duration of the present war, or until my
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Subject to the Army Act. The King's Regulations,
and to such ordinances as may apply or may be
made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act.

5 George V.,

Chapter IV.

Signed _____

Witness _____

Dated at Racecourse Bay

June 30th 1916
M. Oldford - willing to go to the Front to finish his 12 mos
engagement (from Dec. 1915) but refuses to engage for
duration of Renan Major

CR 2031

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF RIBBON OF VICTORY MEDAL/1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches
of Ribbon of British Victory Medal-1914-1919.

NO. 2031...NAME *Manuel Oldford*

DATE *Jan 10th 1920*
PLACE *Grand Falls*

C.R. 2031

Extract from roll of Officers H.C.O's
and men DISCHARGED from the Royal
Newfoundland Regiment

Regtl.#	rank	name	date	reason.
2031	pte.	Olford Manuel	10/4/17	MED. UNFIT.

C.R. 2031

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office
London, Jan. 22, 1917.

2031 Pte. H. Colford.

Reported at the Depot from the 1st Battalion, B.E.F., 19-1-17.

Claiming Discharge at Expiry of term of Service.

MM.

C.R. 2031

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
Mar. 23, 1916.

2031 Pte. M. Oldford.

C.R. 2031

Extract from General Roll of 231st Regt. Mounted
Southampton, (Draft No. 6.) from 2nd In. Depot to 1st
Div. D.E.F/ 9-7-18.

2031 Pte. M. Oldford*

C.R. 2031

Extract from Nominal Roll of Royal WFLD. Regt. Discharged
in United Kingdom. 10-4-17

2031 Pte. Oldford M.

Time expired (Ayr) Subsequently repatriated.

Proceedings on Discharge.



(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. <u>2031</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>
Name <u>Manuel Oldford</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>3/1 Newfoundland Regiment</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>F. Company</u> <small>(Attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>April 10th 1917</u>	
Place of discharge <u>Apr. N.S.</u>	
1. <u>Description at the time of discharge.</u>	
Age <u>28</u> years <u>10</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>6</u> inches Chest measurement (girth when fully expanded <u>37 1/2</u> ins. range of expansion <u>3 1/2</u> ins.) Complexion <u>Dark</u> Eyes <u>Brown</u> Hair <u>Dark</u> Trade <u>Checker</u> Intended place of residence <u>Grand Falls Newfoundland</u> (To be given as fully as practicable)	Descriptive marks.
(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>term of enlistment having expired</u>	
(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)	
3. Military character:— <u>Very Good</u>	
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—	
(Blank space for character details)	
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.	
<u>C. D. S. P. C.</u> Initials of Commanding Officer.	

Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to* D

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

B. E. F. France July 8th 1916 to Jan 2nd 1917

Certificate of education

7. His accounts are correctly balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) *Ayr N.B.*

A. Whiteaker Sr. Col.

(Date) *April 10th 1917*

Commanding *2/1* Battr. *Nfld* Regiment.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) *Ayr N.B.*

W. Oldford (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) *April 10th 1917*

C. S. Dickson (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional Certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

W. Oldford (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to *10/4/17* (the date to which the record of service is completed) *one* years *121* days.

Further service " " (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " " "

Total " " " "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for (date)

(Place) _____

Signature *COMMANDING, 2nd BATT. N.F.L.D. REGT.,*

LT.-COL;

(Date) _____

NEWTON-ON-AVR, N.B.

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

Nil
W. Oldford

only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the
Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Name OldfordChristian Name Maxwell

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish

County N. I.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY			
	Right	Left	Right	Left		
Examined	on <u>8</u> day of <u>Dec</u> 19 <u>15</u>	on	day of	19 <u>1</u>		
	at <u>St. John's N. I.</u>	at				
Declared Age.....	<u>24</u> years	days	years	days		
Trade or Occupation						
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	feet	inches		
Weight		<u>130</u> lbs.		lbs.		
Chest (Girth when fully expanded...)		<u>57½</u> inches		inches		
.....		<u>3½</u> inches		inches		
Physical Development.....						
Vaccination Marks {	Arm					
	Number.....		<u>2</u>			
.....		<u>1910</u>				
Vision	R.E.—V==	<u>6/15</u>	R.E.—V==			
	L.E.—V==	<u>6/12</u>	L.E.—V==			
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.....	(a)		(a)			
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection.....	(b)		(b)			
Approved by (Signature)	<u>W. B. Barden</u>					
(Rank)	<u>Leut</u>					
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.			
Enlisted	at		at			
	on	day of	19 <u>1</u>	on	day of	19 <u>1</u>
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.		
Joined on Enlistment	<u>14 N. I. Reg</u>	<u>2031</u>				
Transferred to						
Became non-effective by	on	day of	19 <u>1</u>	on	day of	19 <u>1</u>
(Signature)	<u>D</u>					
(Rank)						

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examination for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
January 27/16	1 st Inoculation } No. 6.
February 9/16	2 nd " }
16. 6. 16	Successful Vaccination N. H. Wilson.
6. 7. 16	Fit for foreign Service.

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St John's Rifle Co	23/3/16	7/4/16			

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Oldford OF Christian Name Manuel

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Place:—Parish

County Newfoundland

SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY.	
on <u>8</u> day of <u>Dec</u> 191 <u>0</u>	on	day of	191
at <u>St John's Nfld</u>	at		
<u>27</u> years	days	years	days
<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	feet	inches
	<u>130</u> lbs.		lbs.
	<u>37 1/2</u> inches		inches
	<u>3 1/2</u> inches		inches
Right	Left	Right	Left
	<u>2</u>		
R.E.—V.= L.E.—V.= (a)	<u>1910</u> <u>6/18</u> <u>4/2</u>	R.E.—V.= L.E.—V.= (a)	
(b)		(b)	
at	Medical Officer.	at	Medical Officer.
on	day of	191	on
Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
<u>Nfld Regt</u>	<u>2031</u>		
day of	191	on	day of
191		191	
(Rank)			

Area W. Burden
Lieut Medical Officer.

To be filled out by Special Reserve Regiments, and for Special Reserves entering the Regular Army

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname *McFord*

Christian Name *Manuel*

Table I. GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace	Parish	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
		on	day of	191	191
Examined		at	<i>Chas</i>	<i>1/12</i>	
Declared age			<i>27</i>	years	
Trade or occupation					
Height					
Weight					
Chest Measure	Girth when full dot Range of expansion				
Physical development					
Vaccination marks	Arm Number				
When vaccinated					
Vision					
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease					
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection					
Approved by (Signature)		<i>[Signature]</i>			
(Rank)					
Enlisted					
Joined on enlistment					
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by					
(Signature)		<i>[Signature]</i>			
(Rank)					

1 wife and 2 children

1911

[Signature]

[Signature]

[Signature]

Table III.—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.; Examination for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances, Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief details, and signature
27. 1. 16	1 st Inoculation } <i>J. W. A.</i>
9. 2. 16	2 nd do
16. 6. 16	Successful Vaccination. <i>N. B. Wilson</i>
6. 7. 16	Fit. for Foreign Service

Table IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship
<i>S. John's Mfld</i>	23. 3. 16	9. 11. 16	



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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.



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Charges } s. d.
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in at } Received } here at }

TO { *Synoptical Ldn*

*n 1020 12
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verify
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*aaa no 2031
Oldford claims discharge
senth aaa please
Commanding Newfoundland*

A ^S/_M

POST-OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.
FOREIGN AND COLONIAL TELEGRAMS ONLY.
 (Telegrams for North America, Central America or West Indies excepted.)

 Counter
 Number

Prefix.	Words.	Code.	Charge.			Sent	Date Stamp.
			c.	d.	f.		
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.						At.....M.	For Postage Stamps <i>To be affixed by the Sender. Any stamp for which there is not room here should be affixed at the back of this form.</i> <i>(A Receipt for the Charges on this Telegram can be obtained, price One Penny.)</i>
						To.....	
						By.....	

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TO

COMMANDING NEWFOUNDLAND

B. E. F.

253

DEC 10 1916

N1020 12 aaa NO 2031 PTE MANUEL OLDFORD REFUSED TO

REFUGAGE TIME EXPIRED DECEMBER TENTH

SYNOPTICAL

I request that the above Telegram may be forwarded [via*.....] subject to the Conditions which are printed on the back hereof, and by which I agree to be bound.

Signature and Address of Sender (not to be telegraphed)..... 58 Victoria St. S.W.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 2091 Pte Oxford M.
7 Company. From 17.3.17 To 10.4.17 (Dates inclusive)
 DR. Classification (See procedure) E

Substituting A.F.O. 16231 N.F.P/36.
 Embarked per S. S. 9252
 From Liverpool Date 10/4/17
 Draft No. 33 CR.

Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	s	d
	8	Forfeited Pay								1	Pay						
	9	Allotments	70	25	17	50				2	Field Allowances	100	25	25	00		
	10									3	Other Allowances	10	25	2	50		
	11/12	Total Stoppages			17	50	3	11	11	4/5	Total @ 4.88 2/3						
	13	Fines								6a				27	50	5	13
	14	Clothing and Necessaries															
	15	Arms & Accoutrements															
	16	Barrack Damages						6									
	17	Hospital Stoppages															
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages						1	10								
	18	Casual Payments						8	9								
	20	1st Payment						10									
	21	2nd "						10									
	22	3rd "						10									
	23	Final "						10									
	24	Balance Debit Last Period								27	Balance Due to Paymaster						
	28	" Due by Paymaster															
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Race Course Apt
8th April 1917



CERTIFIED CORRECT.
P. B. Dicks
 O.C. "J." Company.

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paid
SP
6/5/19

Grand Falls
May 2nd/19

J. M. Howley Esq.
Dept. of Militia
St Johns

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed you will please find
"Marriage Certificate" as requested. &
I may add by stating in accordance
with "claim form" that I had a widow
mother "who is still living" who was
entirely dependant on me for support.
and also my first child was born
just about a month after marriage
as stated in claim form.

I also beg to mention that I am
also entitled to clothes allowance
which I presume will not be overlooked.
by you and am also instructed by the
authorities to ask for it.

Also dear Sir I trust you will
forward "war service badge"
as I hadn't applied for one previous
to sending in my claim form.

2)

I trust that the foregoing will
suffice any further inquiries
~~into this matter~~ and hoping
to receive promptly the return
of Certificate and other items
to which I have made mention
I beg to remain yours
Very truly

#2031 Ex Pt Marmel Oloford.
P O Box 82
Grand Falls
Newfoundland.

P.S., you will please note that
the name given in Certificate
was Ex Pt Marmel Oloford.
but it means one and the same
Person. M.D.

Office of Director of Medical Services,
Colonial Building,
May 18th., 1917.

OFFICER I/C RECORDS.

Herewith the following papers for 2031 Pte. Manuel Oldford:-

B178

B268

B121

Major, D. M. S.,

Per *A. W. P.*



To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.
 Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Seaford Christian Name of Daniel

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County Med.

Examined ... on 8 day of Dec. 1915.

at St John's Med.

Declared Age ... 27 years ... days.

Trade or Occupation ... _____

Height ... 5 feet 6 inches.

Weight ... 130 lbs.

Chest Measurement { 37 1/2 inches.

(Girth when fully expanded Range of Expansion)

_____ inches.

Physical Development ... _____

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left

Number _____ 2

When Vaccinated ... 1910

Vision ... R.E.—V= 4/5

L.E.—V= 4/12

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... _____

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... _____

Approved by (Signature) (Sgd) Ho Burden

(Rank) _____

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at _____

on _____ day of _____ 1915

Joined on Enlistment ...

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>1st Med. Regiment</u>	<u>2031</u>

Transferred to ... _____

Became non-effective by _____

on _____ day of _____ 1915

(Signature) _____

(Rank) _____

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

B. K. F. France July 8 1916 to Jan 12 1917

Certificate of education

7. His accounts are correctly balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) *Ays. M.D.*

(Date) *April 10th 1917*

Cowthorpe J. C. D.
Commanding *21* Battn. *R.F.D.* Regiment.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) *Ays. M.D.*

(Date) *April 10th 1917*

W. B. Oldford ✓ (Signature of Soldier.)
C. S. Dickson (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional Certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

W. B. Oldford ✓ (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to *10/4/17* (the date to which the record of service is completed) *one* years *121* days.

Further service " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " "

Total " " "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for _____ (date)

(Place) _____

(Date) _____

Signature _____
COMMANDING, 24TH M.F.D. REGT.,
NEWTON-CHEVEL, H.B.

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

Nil
W. Olofson

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 2031 Pte. O'ford M.
 Company. From 17. 9. 17 To 10. 4. 17 (Dates inclusive)

(Substituting A.F.O. 1925) - N.F.P/36.
 Embarked per S. S. Teskani
 From Luzon Date 10/4/17
 Draft No. 33 OR.

DR. Classification (See procedure) L

Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	£	s	d
	8	Forfeited Pay	70	25	17	50					1	Pay	100	25	25	00			
	9	Allotments									2	Field Allowances							
	10										3	Other Allowances	10	25	2	50			
	11/12	Total Stoppages			17	50	3	"	"		4/5	Total @ 4.85 2/3			27	50	5	13	0
	13	Fines									6a								
	14	Clothing and Necessaries																	
	15	Arms & Accoutrements																	
	16	Barrack Damages																	
	17	Hospital Stoppages																	
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages						1	10										
	19	Casual Payments						8	9										
	20	1st Payment						10											
	21	2nd "						10											
	22	3rd "						10											
	23	Final "						10											
	24	Balance Debit Last Period																	
	28	" Due by Paymaster									27	Balance Due to Paymaster							
							5	13	0										

This account is, in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 0/0/17 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

Rec. course Ayl
8th April 1917



CERTIFIED CORRECT.
Asst. Paymaster
 O.C. "F" Company.

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 4106
 1917 P.O.

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

APR 9 1917

Regimental No. 2031

Rank Plt

Name Oldford M

Enlisted (a) 10/2/16 Terms of Service (a) _____

Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to
present rank |

Date of appointment
to lance rank |

Numerical position on
roll of N.C.Os. |

Extended _____

Re-engaged _____

Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 211, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		<u>Embke Southampton</u>		<u>7.7.16</u>	
		<u>Disembke Bouen</u>		<u>10.7.16</u>	
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>21.7.16</u>	
	<u>29th B.D.</u>	<u>Joined Base Dep. Bouen from Unit.</u>		<u>12.11.17</u>	<u>Non. Coll</u>
	<u>do</u>				
		<u>Transferred to England for Discharge</u>		<u>16.11.17</u>	<u>Auth. D.A.G.</u>
		<u>Time Expired</u>			<u>23374/A 2.11.17</u>
					<u>Sgt M. Burckell</u>
					<u>Capt</u>
					<u>For O/C No. 1 Regular Infantry Section</u>
					<u>3rd Echelon</u>

In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered. Signaller, Shoehing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

10558 NEWFOUNDLAND CONT

Officer Commanding,
Minister of Militia and Regt.,

St. John's, Newfoundland.
MEMORANDUM of STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account

ERROR IN 1st. BATTALION PAY BOOKS

NOTE:- Charge under Column

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
 Newfoundland Contingent, 58, Victoria Street, London, S.W. I.
 DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

Regtl No.	and credit Pay & Record Office, London, S. W. (1)		AMOUNT					
	RANK & NAME	Authority	£	s	d			
2031	Pte Oldford, M	Credit balance brought forward as £9.2.8. amended to credit balance of £7.5.5. Debit difference of		1	19	5		

[Handwritten signature]

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Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. I,

[Handwritten signature] Major,
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

12th, October 1917

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made in the Pay Book of " " Company for Period / / / to / / / Headquarters

and credited to Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.

Dated at

St. John's, Newfoundland.

[Handwritten signature]

O.C. " " Company,
Minister of Militia

April 29, 1919

#2031 Pte. Manuel Clifford,
P.O. Box No. 82,
Grand Falls.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheque for
Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment due
you on account of the "War Service Gratuity."

If you will forward me your "Marriage Certificate"
I will arrange your retroactive Separation Allowance.
Yours truly

Captain,
Paymaster & U. S. Records

4721

To Dept of Militia
W. Johns

Grand Falls
Sept 19th 19

Dear Sir

Kindly inform the undersigned
as to cause of delay of my
not receiving what Service Gratuity
before this time as my claim
forms has been sent you some
three weeks or a month past
I know of others who has sent in
claims long since & who has
has received Gratuity

Trusting you will reply promptly
and oblige

#2031 P. O. Madam Oldford

P. O. Box 82

Grand Falls, N. B.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes, if any question are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

1. Christian name *Manuel* 2. Surname *Oldford*

3. Rank *Private* 4. Regt. No. *2031*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to fax be forwarded *Manuel Oldford*

P. O. Box 82 Grand Falls

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment *Dec. 10th 1915*

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge

Have received none

8. Relationship of such dependents *Wife: Widow: mother: child.*

9. Address in full of such dependent

Grand Falls Nfld

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *no*

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service. *no*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld or Overseas

Six months and 20 days

H. H. at ms

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.....

no

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.....

no

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?.....

no

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces. *no*.....

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.....

no

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?.....

no *not applicable*

(b). If so, was such reversion in consequence of misconduct or inefficiency?.....

not applicable

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *no*..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge. *approx 9th 1917* (b) Reason for discharge.....

Term Expired

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service.....

Yes..... *at Ypres & Somme front*
July 8th 1916..... *to*..... *July 28th 1917*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.

(b). If so, are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee..... (a) *no*..... (b) *no*

And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Signature of Applicant: *Manuel Oldford*
 Place of Residence: *Grand Falls Nfld*
 Declared before me at: *Grand Falls*
 This *18th* day of *Mar* 19*19*

Nath. Pike
 Commissioner
 Signature of Barrister of the
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-
 trate, Notary Public, Justice of the
 Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	<i>6.40</i>	<i>280.00</i>
.....
.....

Certified Correct.

Byraster,

Places below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. It should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of test.

Examined of Manuel Oldford
at 7 conducted at Grand Falls, Nfld
Date: Dec 8/15 Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	yes
10	no defect
11	foreign service
12	no defect
13	no defect
14	no defect
15	no defect
16	no defect
17	no defect
18	no defect
19	no defect
20	no defect
21	no defect
22	no defect
23	no defect
24	no defect
25	no defect
26	no defect
27	no defect
28	no defect
29	no defect
30	no defect
31	no defect
32	no defect

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right - $\frac{6}{18}$, left $\frac{6}{12}$

Vaccinated in 1910 2 scars left arm
3-6"
130 lbs.
34-37 1/2

175 per day
Mrs. James - Oldford - School - BB
not found

Signature of Medical Examiner:

W. W. MacKay

Dr. Basil Lind

Grand Falls
March 5th/19

Pay & Record
Office St. Johns N.J.

Dear Sir

Please forward to the undersigned
Claim forms for Gratuity West
Bonus so that I can fill up
and forward to Pay & Record
Office

Yours truly
2031 Ex Pte Manuel Oldford
P.O. Box 82
Grand Falls
N.J.

~~Freedom, Honor~~

Revere Mass
U.S.A.
Nov 15th/22

Dept of Militia
St Johns Vfla.

Dear Sirs

I have been informed that there are a certain amount of bonus money to be paid out to all ex soldiers, for service in connection with the Great War and I am writing for information regarding same. and if such is the case please send details regarding same to the undersigned at your earliest convenience

I remain Sincerely yours
Manuel Oldford

9 South Pennesser Street
Revere Mass U.S.A.

P.S.
My Regt No was 2031
Vfla Regt

December 4th. 1922

Mr. Mameel Oldford,
9 South Genessee St.,
Revere, Mass.,

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of November 15th., I beg
to advise that you have been paid all allowances due you by
this Department.

Yours truly,

Major
Paymaster